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## **MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

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NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL **RULE §1.53(b)** 

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is the nonprovisional patent application

For (Title):

FLUOROPOLYMER-BASED MATERIAL IN TAPE OR VARNISH FORM SUITABLE

FOR LASER MARKING

By (Inventors):		Chor Keung YEUNG	
	Formal drawings	(Figs; sheets) are attached.	
	Use Figure	for front page of Publication.	
		d Power of Attorney is filed herewith.	
	claims benefit of Provisional Application No filed		
	(A Preliminary A	mendment is attached to reflect this claim in the Specification if not already present.)	
$\boxtimes$	This patent appli	cation is assigned to Compagnie Plastic Omnium.	
		d Assignment is filed herewith.	
		Disclosure Statement is filed herewith.	
	Entitlement to sn	nall entity status is hereby asserted.	
$\boxtimes$		nendment is filed herewith.	
oxtimes		n application(s) No. <u>02 09282</u> filed <u>July 22, 2002</u> in <u>France</u> is claimed (35 U.S.C. §119).	
	A certified c	opy of the above corresponding foreign application(s) is filed herewith.	
	This application	is NOT to be published under 35 U.S.C. 112(b). The undersigned attorney or agent hereby certifies that	
	the invention dis	closed in this application has not been and will not be the subject of an application filed in another	
	country, or under	a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.	
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## CLAIMS IN THE APPLICATION AFTER ENTRY OF ANY PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT NOTED ABOVE

FOR:	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA		
BASIC FEE				
TOTAL CLAIMS	16 - 20	= *		
INDEP CLAIMS	1 - 3	= *		
☐ MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS PRESENTED				

SMALL ENTITY					
RATE	FEE	<u>OR</u>			
	\$ 375	<u>OR</u>			
x 9=	\$	<u>OR</u>			
x 42 =	\$	<u>OR</u>			
+ 140 =	\$	<u>OR</u>			
TOTAL	\$	<u>OR</u>			
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OTHER THAN A **SMALL ENTITY** 

	RATE	FEE			
		\$ 750			
	x 18	\$			
	x 84	\$			
	+ 280	\$			
	TOTAL	\$ 750			

Check No. 144301 in the amount of \$750 to cover the filing fee is attached. Except as otherwise noted herein, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be required to complete this filing, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this sheet are attached.

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